AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

No amendments are made by the present Response. A listing of all claims and their current status in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(c) is provided below.

reading operating current values from a non-volatile memory device on a memory module, wherein the memory module comprises a plurality of volatile memory devices, and wherein the operating current values comprise operating currents uniquely corresponding to a lot in which the volatile memory devices were manufactured;

(previously presented) A method of configuring a system comprising:

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and

- configuring the system in accordance with the operating current values from the non-volatile memory device on the memory module.
- 2. (original) The method, as set forth in claim 1, wherein reading comprises reading operating current values from a serial presence detect device.
- 3. (original) The method, as set forth in claim 1, wherein reading comprises reading operating current values from a non-volatile memory device on a dual inline memory module.
- 4. (original) The method, as set forth in claim 1, wherein reading comprises reading the operating current values from the non-volatile memory device during a boot of the system.

- 5. (original) The method, as set forth in claim 1, wherein configuring comprises setting operating current thresholds in the system in accordance with the operating current values.
- 6. (original) The method, as set forth in claim 5, comprising throttling the memory module if an actual operating current in the memory module exceeds one of the operating current thresholds.
- 7. (original) A method of configuring a system comprising:
 reading operating current values from a non-volatile memory device on a memory module,
 wherein the memory module comprises a plurality of volatile memory devices, and
 wherein the operating current values comprise operating currents uniquely
 corresponding to each of the plurality of memory devices; and
 configuring the system in accordance with the operating current values from the non-volatile memory device on the memory module.
- 8. (original) The method, as set forth in claim 7, wherein reading comprises reading operating current values from a serial presence detect device.
- 9. (original) The method, as set forth in claim 7, wherein reading comprises reading operating current values from a non-volatile memory device on a dual inline memory module.

- 10. (original) The method, as set forth in claim 7, wherein reading comprises reading the operating current values from the non-volatile memory device during a boot of the system.
- 11. (original) The method, as set forth in claim 7, wherein configuring comprises setting operating current thresholds in the system in accordance with the operating current values.
- 12. (original) The method, as set forth in claim 11, comprising throttling the memory module if an actual operating current in the memory module exceeds one of the operating current thresholds.
- 13. (original) A method of manufacturing a memory module comprising:

 measuring operating current values in each of a plurality of volatile memory devices;

 storing each of the operating current values corresponding to each of the plurality of

 volatile memory devices in a non-volatile memory device; and

 forming a memory module comprising each of the plurality of volatile memory devices and

 the non-volatile memory device.
- 14. (original) The method, as set forth in claim 13, wherein measuring comprises measuring the operating current values in each of a plurality of dynamic random access memory devices.

- 15. (original) The method, as set forth in claim 13, wherein storing comprises storing each of the operating current values corresponding to each of the plurality of volatile memory devices in a serial presence detect device.
- 16. (original) The method as set forth in claim 13, wherein forming comprises forming a dual inline memory module.
- 17. (original) A method of manufacturing a memory module comprising:
 measuring operating current values in each of a plurality of volatile memory devices,
 wherein the plurality of volatile memory devices correspond to a single
 manufacturing lot;

calculating average operating current values for the manufacturing lot;
storing the average operating current values in a non-volatile memory device; and
forming a memory module comprising each of the plurality of volatile memory devices and
the non-volatile memory device.

- 18. (original) The method, as set forth in claim 17, wherein measuring comprises measuring the operating current values in each of a plurality of dynamic random access memory devices.
- 19. (original) The method, as set forth in claim 17, wherein storing comprises storing the average operating current values in a serial presence detect device.

- 20. (original) The method as set forth in claim 17, wherein forming comprises forming a dual inline memory module.
- 21. (original) A memory module comprising:
 - a plurality of volatile memory devices; and
 - a non-volatile memory device having operating current values uniquely corresponding to a lot in which the plurality of volatile memory devices were manufactured stored thereon.
- 22. (original) The memory module, as set forth in claim 21, wherein the memory module comprises a dual inline memory module.
- 23. (original) The memory module, as set forth in claim 21, wherein each of the plurality of volatile memory devices comprises a dynamic random access memory device.
- 24. (original) The memory module, as set forth in claim 21, wherein the non-volatile memory device comprises a serial presence detect device.
- 25. (original) A memory module comprising:
 - a plurality of volatile memory devices; and
 - a non-volatile memory device having operating current values uniquely corresponding to each of the plurality of volatile memory devices stored thereon.

- 26. (original) The memory module, as set forth in claim 25, wherein the memory module comprises a dual inline memory module.
- 27. (original) The memory module, as set forth in claim 25, wherein each of the plurality of volatile memory devices comprises a dynamic random access memory device.
- 28. (original) The memory module, as set forth in claim 25, wherein the non-volatile memory device comprises a serial presence detect device.
- 29. (original) A computer system comprising:
 - a processor; and
 - a memory module coupled to the processor and comprising:
 - a plurality of volatile memory devices; and
 - a non-volatile memory device having operating current values uniquely corresponding to each of the plurality of volatile memory devices stored thereon.
- 30. (original) The computer system, as set forth in claim 29, wherein the memory module comprises a dual inline memory module.

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- 31. (original) The computer system, as set forth in claim 29, wherein each of the plurality of volatile memory devices comprises a dynamic random access memory device.
- 32. (original) The computer system, as set forth in claim 29, wherein the non-volatile memory device comprises a serial presence detect device.